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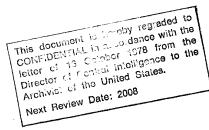
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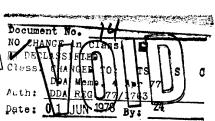
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- The Yugoslav Ministry of War recently issued a secret order directing all Macedonians in the Yugoslav Armed Forces transferred to Istria, Carniola, Slovenia or Croatia. The order includes career officers and all grades up to and including Lieutenant Colonel.
- 2. In January 1950, the Yugoslav National Defense Council will examine a proposal submitted by the Ministry of War for the activation of two parachute divisions, one special assault division, and three additional KNOJ brigades. The special assault division is to have maximum mobility, is to be equipped with light, modern armament, and is to be trained in parachute jumping and shore landings.
- 3. Also on the agenda is a proposal to streamline the Logistics and Administrative sections of the Yugoslav Army in order to eliminate bureaucratic entrenchment, misuse of manpower and the lack of efficiency.





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